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For: PSEUDO CONTACT TYPE NEGATIVE PRESSURE AIR BEARING SLIDER

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Entry of the following amendments prior to examination and consideration, is respectfully  
requested.

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**RESPONSE TO REISSUE SUPPLEMENT**  
**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
**BOX: REISSUE**

Sir:

In response to the Reissue Supplement Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (an unnumbered Paper) bearing no mailing date and no application number (a copy is attached) which was attached to a Filing Receipt for the above-captioned application, and in confirmation of our telephone conference with Mr. Narcavaze, attached is the specification, claims and the Abstract for the above-captioned application in double-column format with a Preliminary Amendment where the specification and claims 1, 11 and 16 are being amended and claims 21 through 51 are being newly added.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the application is in condition for



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examination.

It should be noted that no information with respect to the due date for filing a response to the aforesaid Reissue Supplement Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (an unnumbered Paper) was given in that paper.

Should any problem be unsolved however, the Commissioner is respectfully requested to telephone Applicant's undersigned attorney at the below listed local telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. E. Bushnell", written over a horizontal line.

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**REISSUE SUPPLEMENT  
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This Reissue Supplement is an attachment to:

- ☐ "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" Filing Date Granted
- ☐ "Notice of Incomplete Application" No filing Date Granted

The item(s) indicated below as missing must be filed within the period for reply set on the attached form to avoid abandonment.

Correction of the following is required to complete the reissue application:

- ☐ 1. The reissue specification has not been provided in double-column format as is required by 37 CFR 1.173(a)(1).
- ☐ 2. Consent of the assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that the reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.
- ☐ 3. Consent of the assignee is present, but is unsigned. A statement of consent bearing the signature of an official authorized to act on behalf of the assignee(s) must be provided.
- ☐ 4. Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. 37 CFR 1.72 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b). See MPEP Sec. 324.
- ☐ 5. Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is present, but is unsigned. A 37 CFR 3.73(b) statement bearing the signature of an official authorized to act on behalf of the assignee must be provided.

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